

Scale How,

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Ambleside,

Westmorland.

from their point-of-view
it is reasonable. I believe
they say among themselves
that the whole thing is 'faked'.
but they don't show us
that they are capable of
'faking' anything of the kind.

What they think is that
if children had the powers
we claim for them we
don't - 'the professors' would
have found it out long ago.

∴ They cannot believe

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in discovery in a region
so familiar! but their
attitude is a little
(unfavourably 'is it not?')

the more so because
they are careful never
to bring a charge against
us but only their lofty
disapproval!

Later, we must attack
public opinion elsewhere.
the Spectator, Saturday, the
Reviews &c. Meantime.

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Ambleside,
Westmorland.

It might be of use to cut
down your article into
such a letter as the Editors suggest.

But - to return to that
flourishing meeting which
seems to mark a new
era in education -

I say think I might
have the papers inserted
in the Parents' Review -
Then, if you wished to
reprint the cost - (in 2m)
would be greatly reduced.

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P.S. I have ventured to cut
down article - hoping to leave
you a little trouble - C.M.

I should think each
of the members would gladly
send an epitome of the Tr. book
as a distinct thing.
What do you think?

If you send the papers
to me they should form
our Aug. No. a propaganda
No.

Any short note has power!

Is not one concentrated
page on a great achievement
of which most persons would
be proud. W. Richards

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
BARIUM,
LLANGAMMARCH WELLS,
TELEPHONE No 2.

THE LAKE HOTEL & PUMP HOUSE,
LLANGAMMARCH WELLS,
BRECONSHIRE.

July 29th 1920

Dear Mr. Horsfield

I have just been
re-reading the delightful
Gloucester Report. I delight
in the freedom shown by
each of the papers. & with the
freedom, the life. That
this is the inevitable paper
of Robert the - come on letters.
I hope you appreciate mixed
metaphors.

As there seems no hope
of lengthening your rest
anyhow, we shall wait on
the 30th & be looking
forward pretty to seeing
the dear people & shall
average in with before &
after tea so as to meet
the various times of departure
by train.

I hear that Mr. Wood

of Strley is to succeed
Mr. Leicesters as M. J. in
Gloucestershire. I wonder
is that part of the scheme
for "nursing" the schools.
But Mr. Richards braced
in the first place.

I am thankful that we
shall not depend on him
nursing, much as I
like him personally.

Thy post is going -
Again, all good to today

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Wishes from us to -

body yours

Charlotte Mason

every night
 at 2.15
 My 2.15 x the
 722.

BELL HOTEL,
 GLOUCESTER.

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How shall I tell you of
 some of the most delightful
 days of a long life - with only one
 cause of gloom. The want of your
 visible presence. You must
 know - I say 'visible' - for to play
 simply teams with you - every
 one behaved to us as you would
 have done. Many W as you think.

I wanted to know.

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Said as you would have
spoken. Of course people
latched much of you + person
much that you were not with us.
but that was the least part
of it. You had produced an
atmosphere that embraced us
in a quite wonderful way.

But - I must give you news.
First - yesterday. I think my very
choiced moment was when
the dear people were 'received'

I have written
in the
much

TELEPHONE 772.

Thurs. I have
left no more

to tell how

BELL HOTEL,
GLOUCESTER.

room 2

happy, etc

very regret

to you - that

at large

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For your

Please

P.C. 1 - by

Ms. 11111

in the lounge. You

have rejoiced in the frank cordiality

almost affectionate deference that

beamed from their eyes. They

simply took me to their hearts. It

was as obviously as the women.

+ that a joy it was to meet people

whom I already held in high regard.

Messrs. Webster, Smith, Jones & Co.

Barnes & Co. Misses Knapley.

Golding, Clark, Kirkland & Co.

But - you know the kind of

imagine the delightful personalities

if anything
 hurried upon
 that
 with warm
 regards
 to my
 dear
 mother
 and
 sister
 and
 Mr.

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with which they came forward & talked.

But we had not much time
 so at half past three we went into
 the coffee room over the
 old (50) to sit down to plentiful
 & pleasing tables. (Our first-
 & your tea, claimed me for the City
 but the Manager did his guests
 justice). And then - much
 later had run under the bridge
 since you left us - our regret.

On Mr. Cook's suggestion invited
 by his anti-the City - 3drd Office had ~~been~~

I have
 been
 in
 the
 City
 since
 you
 left
 us

TELEPHONE 772.

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BELL HOTEL,
GLOUCESTER.

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It was here in the oak room, very
exceedingly kind & responsive.

Mrs. Collins said she had worked
with him for many years & had
never seen them like that. She

thought it was the respectment of
referring education per se. not
as a matter of fact. Burt said

Mr. Cook it would not do to

have the Lady Mary there. The noise

from the street was deafening.

It is suggested another oak room.

Not in the Chris Hall. Which of

course Mr. Lushington is now a delight.

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BELL HOTEL
GLoucester

was secured it in the twinkling
of an eye, chaired it - & set-up
a sort-of hot-platform where my
chair was set - so that I went
to attract the audience & yet not
have to stand. So after tea in
the Linn Hall we all went. The room
was well-filled & never was there
a more delightful audience - our
hearts went out to them on & all -
not one of them seemed sleepy
& every one bestowed a happy
beaming eager countenance.

Meanwhile Mr. Luchey had done

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BELL HOTEL,
GLOUCESTER.

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us another favour. He had
secured Canon Sewell as chairman
& I was delighted to find how well
acquainted with our work & how
deeply interested in it he was -
afirm, as in the sort of intimacy
the dear "friends" gave us, I felt -
But we were reaping where you had
sown. He said among other things, that
a proof of his interest was in the
fact that he was conducting our work
should be made direct via the
Second Ang. Schools of the County,
& City schools.

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BELL HOTEL

GLoucester

By the way Miss Carless was there
I seemed eager about the whole thing.

Mr. Cooke brought Mr. Williams &
Mr. C. H. H. a nice man I thought
but I saw him in the way.

I gathered that the Glas. M. would
be fairly ready to meet any test.
We wished to try the Brothers. But
the teachers were so tremendously stirred
by your late Conference that they
are most eager.

I cannot tell you what I said
except that I felt profoundly that
of that I wished to say, was
necessarily short for I wanted

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 Scale How,
 Ambleside.
 Sept. 23rd 1920
 Dear Mr. Hornsfield
 Let me have a word
 about you. I wish
 doing you good. You
 know when we saw you
 you were a most shattered
 wreck.
 What a week that was in
 Gloucester. One sowing
 & another reaping & I reaped
 after you sowing with
 in Paris & in the

Scale How,

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Ambleside.

in your train. But the
 whole thing was wonderful
 past all whodding! I
 don't think such a breaking
 out into knowledge has been
 known anywhere since the
 Renaissance.

^{9. 10. 11. 12.}
 I had Mr. Quiller at
 "Highfield" & learn that he
 too knows Mr. Household.
 He (H. H. S.) is supposed to
 have the best schools in Yorks.
 in his district - Halifax
 Buddensfield, & Mearns.

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but - I think he believes there
is a better thing - Points of
meeting one of the flos: teachers
to come & convert his people.
He says there will be no
difficulty whatever about
books. I wonder would
Rev. Smith of Uplands do? He
is prepossessing but I have
not heard him speak much -
However you will know best
what to do.

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Scale How,
Ambleside.

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Mr. Alex. R. Bradford "Superintendent
of Schools." Mr. ^{John} Holdsworth wants
your permission to publish
issue in their Schools' Magazine
the Report of the Glouc Teachers'
Conference. Perhaps you
would send him a copy at
the Education Office, Town Hall,

Bradford.

I met both the "MRE Committee"
& the Bradford Teachers at
"Highfield" about 30 of them. They
were very delightfully cordial &
the differences disappeared like

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Smith. Mr. Wood was
a great help. & I saw some-
thing of him & Mrs. Wood & Angela.
I think they are all looking
forward to Glas. (you) with much
pleasure & in his case, sympathy.

Alas, I did what I cannot do,
(perhaps what I shouldn't do).
That is, Mrs. Clementine & Miss Kelly
& I crunched at the University
(needs) to meet educational
people who did not - minutes
very well. But it was a

Scale How,
Ambleside.

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pleasure to find a haunt
of ancient peace in the heart
of a busy city & Sir Michael
Patterson was most hospitably
wagant to show his hearty
sympathy with our work. I
doubt if he will have much
opportunity to help as the
lands is distressfully divided
against itself & does not
I fancy much cherish its
university. I guess he
should be President as is
known it will be useful

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When appears to add it is very apparent to all in our work

to have called things over
with him - a delightful meeting
man - but more likely your kind letter
Now I think there told

For what has befallen in
relations you must send
me no more letters &
bulletins.

With warmest regards to
Miss Miss. Believing yours
truly yours
Charlotte Mess.

Mr. Bradford "Official Journal"
appears to be a monthly pamphlet
of 15 pp. - could only register
extracts. but Mr. H. H. works

Confidence.

of course I have
not got off
last night after

Scale How,
Ambleside.

Feb. 2. 1920

Houschole

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but this
day of it
makes up for
months. Well
I think I mean

I feel very inspired
accounts from Miss Vix
of the 17 schools she has
visited. "Most incredible
schools" Mr. Mansley
would say. He by
the way is most sadly
broken by his brother's death.
but is touchingly keen

kindest - father and mine, report - I think I mean

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about proclaiming
our gospel. He has written
a capital article which he
is anxious to deliver
as a lecture in two
or three big towns before it
is published - Have you
any suggestion to offer?

I am anxious for
another bulletin. Are
you getting stronger & may
be be pretty soon that is -

Scale How,
Ambleside.

Miss Vick's report - makes
me the more glad of some
capital notes. W. Buckley can
embodiment ~~and~~
what Messrs. Smith & De
said as (possible economies
in books. There will come
out in the Nov. No. 7 & 8.

Mr. Lusk's own suggestion
of a single programme
year would of course be
very welcome to me both
as reports & collaborations.

but. I believe such a change
would be fatal - the impetus
of the Exam. papers & the new
programme term by term
does much to keep up the
vitality of the work.

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Scale How,
Ambleside.

What about letting the children
buy (at half price?) the books
that are withdrawn from the
series?

Thank you for your enclosure.
How are we to meet people
who are fast enough to find
"much to learn" from us?

I suppose they must
make little changes which
they make as they borrow

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from us too - The unhappy
thing is that their schools
will do much better working
on a method they understand
than by picking up a notion
here & there from us.

I am still warming
myself at the fire of those flos-
teachers' enthusiasms. I
have hardly ever seen any
thing so fine.

Also, I enjoyed the vision
of your "Boy" with his beautiful

philosophy about.

with hope.

after many

months & months

Scale Photo.

Ambleside.

Nov. 6

15.

Autumn

as

about

Dear Mr. Houshold

How proving to

of have been made late
for Substitutes I can well
understand that it -

disturbed your thoughts

but one says more than
one knows & the latter

you kindly enclose

is hoped. especially

very truly & hopefully yours Ch. Mason

13p 128 cmc 30

because it recognizes on
democratic basis. That is,
we have no political bias
but with a liberal education
is the right of every one.

Your Spring examination
will answer ^{the} every purpose
of comparing our schools
with others.

I am delighted that
you will be allowed to
support us at the Imperial
Conference - that should

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Scale How,
Ambleside.

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Afford us great opportunities
in your hands!

About the use of books
in the U. S. - I wonder
had it better do as we
do here - offer our goods
without - inquiring what
they have or what they
do. Our hope is that
the startling impression

23 p 131 cmc 312

made by our results
may make them willing
to accept us in toto.

That is our sole hope.
We have no second paper

to offer them. & as you
say, we build round
history. I think we
need not be alarmed.

Eng. history is American
history till the 17th century.

Scale 1/200,

Ambleside.

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And the books we use
 are more sympathetic
 with the States than with
 us.

After a few years
 working of this scheme
 America would be able
 to make her own -

But you know our
 Board has tried to found
 us for several years
 & has not produced results

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worth speaking of. witness
against the Report of the
Commission on English.
Full of absolute quotations
(unacknowledged), from
our pamphlets, & again,
I suspect, nothing
happens!

You must run
down a talk before you
go. Our materialism
methods are fragments

America

Scale How,

Ambleside.

Nov. 11. 1892

the waters!

with women

regards to you.

Chas. W. Martin

Dear Mr. Household

S. Martin has

been good to us for

Anniversary Day & has given
us his "little summer"

Thank you for a

happy-making letter.

It is good that you are
planning to come here.

What time will you be?

That you get an artist
 into the twentieth Century.
 It strikes me that the
 big Reviews will afford
 propaganda for America.
 We have just had Mrs.
 Franklin's list & shows
 her rather protesting
 against big gifts arranged
 by an Agency. Her notion
 instead of is in addition
 to this seems to be

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Scale How,

Ambleside.

individual schools, states,
the parents of children in these
schools - but of course she
has nothing clear in her
mind at present.

He has just had another
Capital history book from
America. "The Story of America"

There is no doubt but
that they have a fair
history. He was several

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of their books. As I say,
their history is ours until
the last-quarters of the
18th century. & from 1775
till now we could see
work in & talk of their
own.

I am sending you notes
of Mr. Hallen's capital
letters - Will you send it
on to Miss Parick.

It is hope you will take

that my parents will
be among the
hills, with

your "Ray".

Scale, How,
Ambleside
W. Household

23rd 1880
only 5
it
of
of
Education
new

I am deeply
impressed by your paper.
Do you mind my saying -
It is a piece of classical
English.

Your argument is
defense of our mother
tongue is absolutely
always
Charlotte Mason

Ms. A. 9. 2. 10

Conclusions. I should not
want saying but it does
+ I chuckle over the fact
of the arguments of the
pro ab-lution people!

Do you recollect
Married Sted at our
Conference? I am sending

you the Summer Exam.
papers. Her answers on
the 'Phed' is so short that
I thought you might like

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Scale 100,
Ambleside.

to use it - as an illustration
of your remarks about
translations - I don't you
think it - is rather a good
summary after a long
reading with no comment
or instruction?

I am shy about making
any suggestion about a
paper. But - don't let me
do much. But - I wonder

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would it be well to add to
your so generous words
about me. That this method
is not merely a good plan
but is the outcome of long
study of the behavior of
mind - is in fact the
practical part of a considerable
philosophy of education.

But also as you like
about this. I always rely
on your judgment.

It is good to think of

13P142 cmc
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Scale How,
Ambleside.

P.S. I wonder how
lots you & my joy
about the Thornbury
grammar school?

I must write
Secondary Education.
more profoundly.
I am sending a
packet of entry forms

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That you may have
them distributed to the
new schools.

They don't ^{always} wait
here for them & then
nothing happens!
C.M.

23 p 144 cm 030

Scale How,
Ambleside.

Feb. 28th 1822

very good work & money. At school, at, &
children's day.

Dear Mr. Household.
This is just a
line to enclose Mr.
Hansson's 'appreciation'
word
& a hopeful letter from
Miss Penneborn
about - Birmingham -
It seems to be a
very slow & sure - but the

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seed you have sown
is sprouting. I shall
venture to speak about
the duty of propagandists
at the Conference. Every
PKM Branch or Area
should do some such work.

Has this frightened
you to speak at Burgess
Hall? I greatly hope
you may be able to
do so - she has done such
I hope much.

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Scale How,

Ambleside.

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I should like to convey
you as to whom it - would
be well to write to the long.

I imagine that Mr
R.W. would - to come here
because they like it
that - it - will be very Swan
Long. (I was eighty in Jan.)
+ they should not have
any of such a thing
myself, when it was urged

I thought - I might help
 to make things plain
 in discussion. as well
 as in speaking. So you
 see any suggestions
 that occur to you as to
 the right people to ask.

As outsiders are to
 be asked to speak.

Your promise to
 help is a very great comfort.

Very yours

Charlotte Mason

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Scale How,
Ambleside.

~~March 8th~~ 1922

March 15th

My dear Mr. Hornschohl
As how long since
his letter was - dated!

All goes fairly for May.
We shall have a big press.
'Teachers World' very
much interested. Mr
Edwards hopes to know himself.
The London C.C. will probably
send a delegate - I don't